

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE WESTERN DISTRICT OF WISCONSIN

MANUEL SALAS,

Petitioner,

v.

GREGORY GRAMS, LORI ALSUM,
JAMES GREER, GLORIA MARQUARDT,
CYNTHIA THORPE, DALIA SULIENE,
R.N. KETARKUS, PAUL PERSSON,
and STEVE HELGERSON,

Respondents.

ORDER

09-cv-237-slc

Petitioner Manuel Salas, a prisoner at the Columbia Correctional Institution in Portage, Wisconsin, has submitted a proposed complaint. He requests leave to proceed *in forma pauperis*. A decision on the request will be delayed until petitioner pays an initial partial payment of the filing fee as required by 28 U.S.C. § 1915(b) and the 1996 Prison Litigation Reform Act. Petitioner's initial partial payment cannot be calculated at this time because the trust fund account statement he submitted with his complaint does not cover the full six-month period immediately preceding the filing of his complaint.

Petitioner's complaint was submitted on April 19, 2009. His trust fund account statement should cover the period beginning approximately October 20, 2008 and ending approximately April 17, 2009. Instead, it covers a one-month period beginning March 1, 2009 and ending March 31, 2009. If petitioner intends to pursue his request to proceed *in forma pauperis* he will need to submit a supplemental trust fund account statement that covers the missing period beginning October 20, 2008 and ending March 1, 2009.

ORDER

IT IS ORDERED that petitioner may have until May 14, 2009, in which to submit a supplemental trust fund account statement for the period beginning approximately October 20, 2008 and ending approximately March 1, 2009. If, by May 14, 2009, petitioner fails to respond to this order, I will assume that he wishes to withdraw this action voluntarily and, in that case, the clerk of court is directed to close this file without prejudice to petitioner's filing his case at a later date.

Entered this 23rd day of April, 2009.

BY THE COURT:

/s/

STEPHEN L. CROCKER
Magistrate Judge